

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

RESOLUTION NO. 2013 – 45

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CLAYTON COUNTY TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH CLAYTON COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS PROVIDING FOR THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH THE PARTIES WILL SUPPORT THE ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS FOR THE CLAYTON COUNTY SYSTEM OF CARE; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIRMAN TO EXECUTE THE AGREEMENT AND OTHERWISE TO PERFORM ALL ACTS NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; TO AUTHORIZE THE FINANCE DIRECTOR TO AMEND THE BUDGET WHERE NECESSARY TO REFLECT AN APPROPRIATE REVENUE SOURCE AND EXPENSE; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Clayton County System of Care (the “CCSOC”) was initially organized under the auspices of the Clayton County Juvenile Court in 2004 pursuant to a Community Based Risk Reduction Order entered by Judge Steven Teske in accordance with applicable state law; and

WHEREAS, the CCSOC has proven to be an invaluable tool in reducing the risk of delinquency and unruliness by improving the educational success and quality of life of students served by the CCSOC; and

WHEREAS, the CCSOC is currently operating as a pilot study that includes approximately 127 students in four (4) middle schools; and

WHEREAS, the CCSOC now desires to expand into all Clayton County schools beginning with the 2013-2014 academic year and needs a full-time administrator and part-time assistant to continue the operations of the CCSOC; and

WHEREAS, although grant funds from the Georgia Governor’s Office for Children and Families were initially used to cover the administrative costs associated with the CCSOC the current grant does not allow for the support of these administrative positions; and

WHEREAS, partnering with Clayton County Public Schools to fund these administrative costs will cover the necessary expenses; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners deems it in the best interest of Clayton County and the County will be best served by entering into a Memorandum of Understanding with Clayton County Public Schools for the reasons stated herein.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
OF CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA, AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED

Section 1. The Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes Clayton County to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (the "Agreement") with Clayton County Public Schools whereby the County will pay one-half of the salaries of the Administrator and assistant in the amount of \$50,000.00 annually for the Clayton County System of Care. The Board also authorizes the Chairman to execute the Agreement and to otherwise perform all acts necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution. The Board further authorizes the Finance Director to amend the budget where necessary to reflect an appropriate revenue source and expense. The Agreement shall contain the terms and conditions in the form attached hereto.

Section 2. This Resolution shall be effective on the date of its approval by the Board of Commissioners.

SO RESOLVED this, the 5th day of February, 2013.

CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS


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